



Docket No.: 050099-0253

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of	:	Customer Number: 20277
Shinroku MAEJIMA, et al.	:	Confirmation Number: 5019
Application No.: 10/808,613	:	Group Art Unit: 2824
Filed: March 25, 2004	:	Examiner: Dang T. Nguyen
For: MAGNETIC RECORDING ELEMENT AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING MAGNETIC RECORDING ELEMENT		

**AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 10, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.